

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Yin, et al

RCE application of Serial No.: 10/570,227

Filed: 09/20/06

For: FUZZY LOGIC GUIDED INVERSE TREATMENT PLANNING

Attorney Docket No.: 1059.00128

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please amend the above-captioned application prior to consideration of the application on the merits. This is in response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2009, part of Paper No./Mail Date 20091109. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Granting the petition would extend the time for filing the Response to May 16, 2010. The appropriate petition fee of \$555 is hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account 11-1449. Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto: